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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Flux Drive, Inc.

Serial No.: 10/591,366 Group Art Unit: 2834

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## REPLY TO LEGAL INSTRUMENTS EXAMINER'S OFFICE ACTION NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to Legal Instruments Examiner ("LIE") Gwendolyn Myers's Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment mailed on December 1, 2009, said Notice referring to applicant's response to Examiner Dang Le's comments in an Office Action mailed on May 27, 2009, wherein the LIE asserted that claims 16 and 17 numerically appeared twice, and although said claims were labeled "WITHDRAWN" (i.e. not elected pursuant to May 27, 2009 restriction requirement), the LIE still requires that the claims be renumbered to correct the fact that two WITHDRAWN claims were numbered "16", and two WITHDRAWN claims were numbered "17". The Applicant has herein renumbered the claims, whereby the claim numbered "16" the

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second time has been renumbered "51" (and is being labeled "Withdrawn-currently amended"), and the claim numbered "17" the second time has been renumbered "52" (and is also being labeled "Withdrawn-currently amended"). The Applicant respectfully requests the examiner examine the elected claims on the merits, as follows: